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SENATE ENGROSSED NO. HB 1279 - 02/28/2001

This bill has been extensively amended (hoghoused) and may no longer be consistent with the original intention of the sponsor.

Introduced by: The Committee on State Affairs at the request of the Governor

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise certain provisions regarding the tobacco
- 2 prevention and reduction program.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 4 Section 1. That § 34-46-7 be amended to read as follows:
- 5 34-46-7. There is hereby created the tobacco prevention and reduction program in the
- 6 Department of Human Services Health.
- 7 Section 2. That § 34-46-9 be amended to read as follows:
- 8 34-46-9. The Tobacco Prevention and Reduction Advisory Board, in collaboration with the
- 9 Department of Human Services, Health shall develop and approve a state-wide strategic plan to
- prevent and reduce tobacco use. The plan shall set forth short term and long term goals,
- adequate benchmarks and standards by which measures of program success under § 34-46-10
- may be appropriately evaluated. The board shall be responsible for establishing program
- priorities, criteria for awarding grants, and assessing overall program performance.
- 14 Section 3. That § 34-46-11 be amended to read as follows:
- 15 34-46-11. The Tobacco Prevention and Reduction Advisory Board <u>Department of Health</u>

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- shall submit an annual report to the Governor and the Legislature. The annual report shall detail
- 2 the progress toward meeting program goals and objectives, including reporting on changes in
- 3 tobacco consumption, tobacco use rates, and attitudes towards tobacco, especially among
- 4 children and other high risk populations.
- 5 Section 4. That § 34-46-8 be repealed.
- 6 34-46-8. There is created an eleven member Tobacco Prevention and Reduction Advisory
- 7 Board. The Governor shall appoint the members to the board. The terms of the initial
- 8 appointments shall be: four members appointed to a one-year term, four members appointed to
- 9 a two-year term, and three members appointed to a three-year term. All subsequent appointments
- shall be for a three-year term. Any member appointed to fill a vacancy other than the natural
- expiration of a term shall serve for only the unexpired portion of the term. No member of the
- board may be affiliated with the tobacco industry. The board shall meet at least two times per
- 13 year.